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LABOR FEDERATION.

Half a Million Workingmen Will Be Represented.

TWO DELEGATES FROM ENGLAND.

Important Questions to Come Before the Convention, Among Them the Eight Hour Law—An Effort Will Be Made to Extinguish the K. of L. as a Trades Union Movement—Gompers a Candidate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The largest congress of labor leaders ever held in New York as far as the numbers represented and the interests involved are concerned, will begin today at Madison Square garden with the opening of the 15th annual convention of the American Federation of Labor.

More than 500,000 organized workingmen in the United States are sending their delegates, 115 in number, to represent them. Perhaps a million workingmen would be nearer the mark but the officers of the Federation are conservative as to numbers, and only reckon those who are in good standing with the subordinate unions.

It is now 12 years since the federation met in this city in convention, since which time it has been expanding until it has its representatives in every state in the Union, and all over Canada. It has affiliated with it 80 national organizations. There will be one woman delegate, Miss Frances Martell, who will represent the garment workers' union of Chicago. For the last three days the delegates to the convention have been arriving. Ex-President Gompers of the federation and several of the local officers are finding quarters for the delegates at the hotels.

The executive council of the federation, reached this city Saturday and are at the Ashland House. The council consists of John McBride, President of the American Federation of Labor; P. G. McGuire, vice president; John Blanton, treasurer; Augustine McCraith, secretary, and N. M. Garland, president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers. Ex-President Gompers attended a meeting of the executive council which was held in the afternoon at the Ashland House. The business consisted of preparations for the opening of the convention.

E. Cowey and J. Mawdsley of the coal miners and spinners' unions of England, who will attend the convention as representatives of those bodies, arrived yesterday. They were met by a delegation of the local officers and escorted to the Ashland House, which will be the headquarters of the executive council. They represent about 300,000 workingmen in England and Wales.

President John McBride of the Federation, is not a delegate, having been defeated at the election for delegates from his local union. He will, however, as president, open the convention.

Special arrangements have been made to entertain the visiting delegates. A mass meeting will be held in Cooper Union this evening under the auspices of the trade and labor unions of New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, in connection with the convention, at which the visiting delegates will be invited to speak.

Important questions will come before the convention, including the carrying out of a general eight-hour movement on May 1, 1896. Questions affecting the standing of subordinate national unions will be discussed and some long standing fights between rival unions will be considered.

The question of harmonizing national bodies will also be considered and efforts will be made to extinguish the Knights of Labor as a trades union movement and compel that body to become a purely educational one.

Ex-President Gompers will be a candidate for president in opposition to President McBride.

An Insane Man's Crime.

DEXTER, Ia., Dec. 9.—Grant Hibbs fatally shot his wife and committed suicide last night. When neighbors entered the house Mrs. Hibbs was holding her husband's head in her lap and a year-old babe on one arm, the baby playing in the blood that flowed from its father's wounds. Hibbs had been released from Mount Pleasant insane asylum as cured five weeks ago.

Looking For the Overdue Vessel.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 9.—Search for the disabled steamer Strathnevis will be prosecuted by the Oriental steamer Tacoma, which sailed westward from Victoria yesterday. In a few days two or three tugs will be sent out a couple of hundred miles to await her appearance.

Accused of Selling Opium.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 9.—The grand jury here Saturday afternoon indicted James McCormick, Jr., son of Councilman James McCormick, for conducting an opium "joint." Councilman Elijah Allen was also indicted for conducting a soap factory in the city of Lexington.

Pianos Burned.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Fire last night at 178-180 Wabash avenue, occupied by Meyer and Webber and Joseph Bowman, piano and organ manufacturers, caused damage amounting to \$75,000. The fire was caused by electric wires becoming crossed.

Brood Mare Impaired.

PILOT GROVE, Mo., Dec. 9.—The great brood mare Daisy B, the property of Dr. W. P. Harriman, died yesterday from running a paling into her side.

CRUSHED AND SCALDED.

Terrible Fate of a Crew of Five Railroad Men in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Three men were killed and two more were injured in a railroad wreck yesterday on the New York and New Haven railway in Harlem. The killed are:

Thomas Fitzgerald, engineer, 35 years old.

Frederick Maples, 40 years old, brakeman.

Thomas C. McNally, 40 years old, brakeman.

The injured are:

Thomas Bannon, conductor, cut and scalded.

Thomas McKeon, fireman, cut and scalded.

All of the killed and injured were residents of this city.

The accident occurred between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third street. The engine, No. 16, of the company's equipment, was used as a switching engine and was bound east to Vannest station with its crew of five men. The location of the accident was at a short curve and no explanation of what was responsible for the trouble could be ascertained. Everything was in its proper shape apparently and the engine and its tender were proceeding along at the usual speed, when, without any warning, the engine left the track and went bumping along over the ties. Bannon, the conductor, and McKeon, the fireman, leaped for their lives at the moment the engine toppled over across the west-bound track before the others of the crew were able to save themselves from being crushed beneath the weight of the boiler.

Police and firemen were at once turned in. The firemen went to work with their axes and cut away all the wood work of the cab, and in that way were able to take out the bodies of Fitzgerald and Maples, both of whom were pinned down by the cab. The body of McNally, however, was under the boiler and the firemen were not able to release it. A wrecking crew was sent for from the company's yard and the work of lifting up the engine, which lay on its side, was begun. After many hours of labor the engine was jacked up and the body of McNally was taken out. All of the bodies were crushed and scalded, death evidently having been instantaneous. Fitzgerald's head protruded through the window of the engine cab and he was sitting on his seat at his duty when the accident happened.

CONQUEST COMPANY

Accept an Island From Mexico on Condition They Subdue the Natives.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9.—The Capital publishes a story to the effect that a number of Los Angeles men have received a concession from the Mexican government to the island of Tiburon, in the Gulf of California. The men are John Bradbury, J. Downey Harvey, Peter Martin and Walter S. Moore, all well known men. Tiburon island is inhabited by the Ceris Indians, a warlike race, said to be cannibals, and an expedition is being organized to kill them off and take possession of the island. A company of 500 men is being organized under the command of Colonel I. H. Polk. Each soldier is to receive \$250 and 100 acres of land after the island is conquered.

The money for the expedition is being put up by Colonel Bradbury, who inherited a million or so a few years ago. There are only about 100 male Ceris Indians, but they are said to be such valiant fighters that the Mexican government despaired of subduing them and has offered the island to Bradbury and his companions if they would undertake the work. It is the intention of the Tiburon Conquest company, as the new corporation is called, to establish a republic of its own and have the United States establish a protectorate. It is stated that Mexico has consented to this.

One of the objects of the company is to establish a great resort and lines of steamers will be put on from both Yuma and Guaymas. The climate being delightful, the island will soon become one of the noted resorts of the world. It is teeming with game and this will be protected. In fact game and games will be imported there.

THE VIADUCT VERDICT.

Coroner Said to Have Blamed the Dead Conductor For the Cleveland Horror.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 9.—It is said that the coroner has decided upon his verdict in the recent viaduct accident, by which 17 persons lost their lives.

Motorman Rodgers of the car which plunged into the open draw is held blameless, it is said, because he swore positively that he did not see the danger signal or know that the draw-bridge gates were open until the car was almost into the draw. It is said that the coroner also exonerates the bridge captain, holding that the testimony showed the gates were closed and the danger signal lights in place.

This will free the city from blame. It is also said that the verdict will place the blame on the conductor of the car, Edward Hoffman, who met death in the accident, for the testimony showed that the conductor opened the switch and signaled the motorman to come ahead. Therefore, the motorman believed that everything was all right.

A New Spurious V.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The secret service bureau has discovered a new photographic counterfeit \$5 bank note on the Fort Dearborn National bank of Chicago, series of 1882, bank No. 6197, charter No. 3698, portrait of Garfield. The colors are poorer than the genuine.

WORK OF CONGRESS.

Nothing Can Be Done This Week in the House.

NO COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

In the Senate the Week Will Be Given Up to Caucusing by All Parties and No Legislation Is Looked For Until After the Holidays—Salisbury's Note Received, but Not Made Public.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The probabilities are that the week in the senate this week will be given up largely to caucusing by all parties and that the senate daily sessions will be brief with little effort at legislation. The introduction of bills will be continued, though no work of consequence can be done until the committees are filled. There is nothing on the calendar except two speeches, one by Senator Morgan, announced for Monday on the Bering sea question, and one by Senator Cullom on the Monroe doctrine. It is understood that Senator Morgan will pay his respects to Ambassador Poncefote and Lord Salisbury.

House Program.

The house program this week is a dreary waste. Until the committees are appointed the machinery of the house is blocked and nothing can be done save by unanimous consent. Any resolution that might be presented—and it is in this form that the sensations that agitate the lower branch of congress are usually sprung—would go down before a single objection. For this reason no attempt will be made to do anything until Speaker Reed announces his committees which he now expects to have ready at the end of the week.

There probably will be but three brief sessions this week. When the house meets today an adjournment will be taken until Wednesday or Thursday and from that date until Saturday, when the committees will be announced. The indications are that practically nothing can be done in the way of the consideration of actual legislation until after the holidays. However, the congressional hoppers are filling up preparatory to the grinding that will follow later. Last week several hundred bills were introduced and it is probable that fully as many will be started on their journey to the statute books this week.

As the president is absent on his hunting trip there is no probability that the reply of Lord Salisbury's letter to Secretary Olney's note regarding the Venezuelan boundary dispute, in which congress is so deeply interested, will be sent to the house this week. There may be an attempt through a resolution to procure from Secretary Olney the letter sent by him to the English premier last July and Lord Salisbury's reply received Saturday, but should such an attempt be made it will unquestionably prove abortive.

The adoption of such a resolution would require unanimous consent and there is no doubt that some friend of the administration would object to it as lacking in deference to the president in his absence and the fact that Mr. Cleveland, in his message, advised congress that he would send the reply to congress with a special message will doubtless be cited as an additional reason why it would not be good taste to make a demand on the executive department of the government until it is manifested, at least, a disinclination to send to congress the correspondence.

ENGLAND HAS SPOKEN.

Her Reply on the Venezuelan Affair Delivered to Olney, but Kept Secret.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The reply of Lord Salisbury to Secretary Olney's note of instructions to Ambassador Bayard, relative to the Venezuelan boundary dispute, was delivered to Secretary Olney at noon Saturday. Donelson, the messenger of the British embassy, came early to the state department in the afternoon with a note from Sir Julian Poncefote, asking for an appointment to see the secretary. This was arranged speedily for Saturday morning and Sir Julian presented the note in person to the secretary, the ambassador, himself, reading its contents to Mr. Olney as is the custom when important documents are presented.

All inquiry as to the nature of the note failed to secure response from any official authority, and it probably will be preserved as an official secret, as far as the Washington authorities are concerned, until the president, upon his return, has had an opportunity to consider it and send it to congress, but it is known that it is on the same general lines indicated in the dispatches of this week.

Treasury Shortage Grows.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The treasury deficit was increased by \$466,175.60, making it \$2,334,585.72 for the first week of December, \$18,203,913.40 for the fiscal year, and \$130,065,464.62 for the 33 months and 7 days of the administration. There were no withdrawals of gold for export Saturday, though losses of gold in the ordinary business transactions reduced the reserve by \$52,100.86, making it \$76,714,740.59.

Double Suicide Attempted.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A sensational attempt at a double suicide was made on Saturday night at the Grand hotel by Charles Galloway of Maidavale and his sister-in-law, between whom a liaison has existed. Both of the victims have serious revolver wounds and it is believed are not likely to recover. They appear to be well connected.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS SALA DEAD
The World-Famous Journalist Passed Away in London.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—George Augustus Sala, the distinguished journalist, is dead.



GEORGE AUGUSTUS SALA.

George Augustus Henry Sala, journalist and author, was born in London in 1828. In the early part of his career he became a contributor of articles to newspapers and magazines. He founded and was the first editor of The Temple Bar Magazine.

He visited the United States in 1863 as special correspondent for The Daily Telegraph, and in the latter part of the following year published the result of his observations under the title of "America in the Midst of War." He was war correspondent for the same paper in France in 1870, witnessing the fall of the empire in Paris on Sept. 4. He afterwards went to Rome to report the entry of the Italian army into that city, and in January, 1875, he visited Spain on the occasion of the entry of Alfonso XII. He visited Russia in December, 1876, as special correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, and subsequently traversed the empire to observe the mobilization of the Russian army, then in progress.

RECORD-BREAKING EVENT.

Great Preparations For Governor Bradley's Inauguration Tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 9.—Arrangement for the inauguration of Governor-elect Bradley at Frankfort Tuesday are rapidly nearing completion. It is the first opportunity the Republicans of this state ever had for the management of such an affair and the indications are that they intend to do the occasion full justice. The inauguration of a Republican governor in Kentucky is a record-breaking event to start with and the preparations are sufficiently elaborate to be in keeping with the importance of the occasion. The parade will, of course, be the feature of the day.

General D. W. Lindsay has been chosen chief marshal and in the procession will be organizations from Covington, Newport, Cincinnati, Louisville and other cities, including the famous Louisville Legion. The parade will occur shortly before noon and the inauguration ceremonies will follow. Colonel Bradley will reach Frankfort Tuesday morning on a special train and will, it is expected, be greeted by one of the largest crowds ever gathered at the state capital.

RAILROAD IN CHINA

To Be Built by a Syndicate of Americans. Brier, Reid and Foster in It.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 9.—A concession from the Chinese government to build a line of railroad from tidewater to Peking has been obtained by a syndicate of American capitalists. The road will be about 200 miles long and will tap a valuable coal mining district. The operation and construction of the road will be under the direct patronage of the Chinese government, but American capital and engineers are the principal factors in the scheme. Among the men of prominence said to be in the deal are Senator Calvin S. Brice of Ohio, Whitelaw Reid, editor of the New York Tribune; ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, and others.

NO SINECURE HERE.

An Indian Selected to Carry the Mails From Juneau to the Yukon.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 9.—James Jackson, an educated Indian, who is to personally carry the mails from Juneau to Fort Cudahy on the Yukon river, has arrived on the steamer Wilapa. He came down to secure 20 or 30 strong dogs to pull the sleds across the mountains to the Canadian postoffice on Forty Mile Creek. This service is merely a private enterprise, being maintained by miners who pay 50 cents for each letter. The Canadian government guarantees \$350 for each of two round trips. This is reckoned as being a most hazardous journey. Several miners in the past years have lost their lives in trying to make it.

Another Accident to the Texas.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—It was reported at Tompkinsville, Staten Island, that the United States battleship Texas, while coming to anchor off that place at 4:15 p. m. Saturday, lost her anchor and a portion of chain attached. The accident was said to have been caused by a pin dropping out of one of the shackles of the chain cable.

Made 'Em Lose Money.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 9.—The firm of Longstreth & Schroeder, well known piano dealers of this city, are mourning the strange absence of C. B. Wilso, who was their Urbana agent, and who has been missing for two weeks. The cause of his disappearance is laid at the feet of two or three young women.

ORIENTAL DIPLOMACY

As Practiced by Turkey Remains Unchanged.

NO FIRMAN YET GRANTED.

Whether From Dread of Another Massacre or of a Clash Ensuing Between the Powers Themselves, Is Not Known. The Sultan in Mortal Fear—Details of the Slaughter at Sivas.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 9.—(Copyrighted)—The situation here on the question of the extra guardships of the powers remains unchanged and continues to offer a tribute to the powers of delay and evasion of Oriental diplomacy as practiced by the Turkish government. Statements are constantly reiterated of the continued accord of the powers on the subject and their unyielding determination to insist upon a compliance with their demands. Less is heard, however, of the rumors which were of frequent occurrence in the early period after the demand had been presented, that the sultan had at length decided to grant the necessary firman to permit the passage of the Dardanelles, or even that he had actually issued them.

Since the return of her majesty's steamship Dryad to Salonica bay, no word has been heard of any actual order or movement to advance upon the Dardanelles. Opinion continues divided as to whether the delay in taking any action to enforce the demands is due to a fear of causing a fanatical outbreak against the Christians by the Mussulman subjects of the sultan or to a dread of a clash ensuing between the powers themselves.

That the sultan lives in a state of constant apprehension of his life was indicated by his demeanor during the course of the ceremony of the Solamlik on Friday, which involves the departure of the sultan from the walls of the palace and his appearance in public for a sort of review of the troops, attended by many high officials, followed by rays at the Mosque. On Friday, as the sultan was quitting the Mosque, a man, attired as a Turk, bearing a petition, forced himself through the soldiers to the sultan's carriage. The sultan was seen to become much agitated and deathly pale, but the man was promptly arrested and hustled off to prison without having accomplished any harm to the sultan's person.

Explicit instructions were again received yesterday by all the ambassadors to insist on the admission of the guardships, but, as has been stated, without effecting any change in the situation.

Authentic details have now been received of the

Sivas Massacres.

They show that the slaughter began on Nov. 12 and continued for a week following. It is known that 1,200 Armenians and 10 Turks were killed before there was a cessation of the bloody work.

The manner of the outbreak is described as follows:

Suddenly, at noon, as if by a preconcerted plan, the Turkish soldiers and police, the Circassians and even the laborers and Moslem women and children rushed into the market under command of the officers. All were armed, the laborers with tools or clubs or anything that could be used as an offensive weapon that came to hand.

They attacked and looted the Armenian shops and pursued with relentless fury the occupants who seemed helpless with surprise at the suddenness of the onslaught. Many merchants and clerks were killed and their bodies stripped.

As the importing business was almost exclusively in the hands of the Armenians financial disaster must overtake Sivas when the fury of the storm of blood and greed has subsided.

The stricken Armenians slowly gathered the mangled remains of their kinsmen and buried them in a great trench in the cemetery.

The Armenian villages in the vicinity were also looted and the people left to beg and die. The winter will bring terrible suffering to all the living victims of the outrages.

A high official, in a position to know, declares that the massacres were the deliberate act of the sultan's vengeance for having been compelled to grant the reforms in Armenia demanded by the powers.

A few of the Turkish shops were attacked to afford as a pretext on which to accuse the Armenians of having started the disorder.

It is asserted that the Kaimakan of Guerin, where there are 5,000 Armenians, telegraphed to the Vah of Sivas: "You may rest assured there is not an Armenian left in Guerin. They resisted the butchers and they suffered the worse for it."

The expulsion and removal of the Armenians from Constantinople and the vilayets continued by wholesale.

All the Armenian monasteries in the vicinity of Erzingjan have been pillaged. The massacre occurred there after the Armenians had been disarmed and Seokki Pasha had faithfully promised to protect them.

At the village of Pasnan, near Erzingjan, the Kurds and Turks attacked a crowd of Armenians who had taken refuge in an Armenian church and killed 40 of them.

Altogether, 400 were killed and 800 were wounded in the Erzingjan district.

Dined by Elkins.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Senator Elkins gave a dinner last night to a number of members of the Republican national committee.

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Partly cloudy and light flurries of snow.

The hordes of hungry Republicans will move on to Frankfort to-day and to-morrow. Every delegation will want to see Boss Bradley in the interest of their favorites.

The Daily Argonaut, of Lexington, will make its initial appearance early this week. It will be an afternoon paper, one of the liveliest and most interesting youngsters in the business. Success to it.

Governor Brown has gone into the wholesale pardon business. Nine Fayette County negroes were recently indicted for running a "wheel of fortune." When their trial was called their attorney produced an unconditional pardon for the entire gang.

This week Treasurer Hale will send out checks to meet the \$400,000 due in December on account of the school fund. In January \$800,000 more will be paid on the same account. It seems the cry of the Republicans that the State Treasury was "busted" was simply a "campaign lie."

The Columbus (O.) Press remarks that a few light weights, like driftwood, floated up by the tide of the late election, and are now posing as Presidential timber, and adds: "Among the chaffiest of these is Col. W. O. Bradley, of Kentucky, a mere frothy declaimer of the sophomore variety."

Hon. A. J. CARROLL won in the special Legislative election at Louisville Saturday, defeating his Republican opponent Blatz by 452 majority. This makes the Legislature a tie on joint ballot, and the fight over the election of Senator Blackburn's successor will now prove all the more interesting.

An Earnest Worker.

The Lexington Leader's Washington correspondence says: "Hon Samuel J. Pugh, of the Ninth District, is like his colleagues an earnest worker in behalf of his constituents and since his election has given his best efforts to the advancement of the rights and interests of his people. The entire Kentucky delegation compares favorably with that from any other State, and Kentucky may well be proud of her favored sons."

A Hungry Set.

Lexington Argonaut: "There are enough petitions in Frankfort to-day to carpet that city from center to circumference and behind every petition can be seen the broad, cavernous, copious mouth of some anxious pie-hunting Republican, ominous in its solemnity, appalling in its size and awful in its anxiety. Governor-elect Bradley has been so hotly besieged by the anxious ones, that he has been forced to flee from the city and take refuge in his own home at Lancaster, where he now lies with his brow swathed in camphire and linen rags."

Kentucky's Slanderers.

Carlisle Mercury: "Kentucky is a hundred years behind the Northern States," is a lie that has been told so often for political effect that some people have been made believe it. Kentucky is not behind other States in anything that she wishes to be up with. Talk about happiness and wealth and we have more of it that is desirable than any Northern State. If any Kentuckian believes that other States are more desirable than Kentucky let him move out and then see how quick he wants to move back. We shall see what those who have made it their business for thirty years to slander Kentucky will do, now that they are in power."

Who does not know women and young girls who are continually in tears? Who always sees the dark side? Who have frequent fits of melancholy without any apparent cause? The intelligent physician will know that it is some derangement of the complicated and delicate feminine organs. The young girls suffer, bodily and mentally, in silence. There is undue weariness, unexpected pain, unreasonable tears and fits of temper. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription exerts a wonderful power over woman's delicate organism. It is an invigorating tonic and is specific for the peculiar weaknesses, irregularities and painful derangements of woman. Careless, easy-going doctors frequently treat their women patients for biliousness, nervousness, dyspepsia, liver or kidney troubles, when the real sickness is in the organs distinctly feminine, and no help can come till they are made perfectly strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nesbitt arrived home Saturday.

—Mr. Andrew Nesbitt, of Owingsville, is here on a visit to relatives.

—Mr. John Moneyhon, of Augusta, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. H. Martin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Earl Worrick have returned home after a week's visit here.

—Mr. Carroll Power, of Flemingsburg, was the guest of Mr. Stanley Watson Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin A. O'Hare arrived Saturday afternoon from their bridal trip.

—Mrs. Castator has returned to Hamilton, O., after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Thomas M. Luman.

—Mr. Thomas Lally has been visiting his brother, Mr. Michael Lally, of West Covington the past week.

—Miss Mattie Oldham has returned from Mt. Olivet, and is ill with a severe cold contracted a week or two ago.

—Mr. Clint Browning, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday here with his parents, Dr. Browning and wife, of East Third street.

—Mr. William Rudy, of Bellevue, returned home yesterday afternoon after spending a few days here and in Fleming County with relatives.

—Mrs. Wm. Turner, of Canton, Mo., is a guest of the Misses Burgess, of West Second street. Mrs. Turner was formerly Miss Emi Lee Browning, of Shannon.

—Mr. Thomas N. Stockton and wife will leave for their home in Denver this afternoon. They have been spending a few days at Ashland with Mrs. Stockton's parents.

—Colonel Robert D. Stockton and wife left Sunday afternoon for their home in Denver, Colorado. They were accompanied by Mr. J. M. Stockton as far as Cincinnati, where he has a position with the Mabley & Carew Co.

THE LISTENER.

Barney Barnato says that he has grown weary of publicity.

Since his appointment to the speakership Mr. Gully has not tasted any intoxicating liquors.

Lord Palmerston ascribed his youthfulness to the fact that he never took any work to bed with him.

Ex State Treasurer Vincent of Alabama is now working as a journeyman painter in a Mississippi village.

John Lowell of Boston has been elected president of the Massachusetts Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

During a recent lecture Justin McCarthy described himself as old fashioned enough to still admire Dickens and Thackeray in preference to the modern novel.

Judge Cassett of Lancaster, N. H., believes he is the only person living that ever shook hands with Lafayette. He was introduced to the latter during his last visit to this country.

Colonel Bradley, the Republican who has been elected governor of Kentucky, is of rather imposing personal presence, has a full and carrying voice and is plainly a man of personal force.

Mayor Davis of Kansas City, having neglected to pay the tax on his house for last year, discovered, to his surprise, the other day that the property had just been sold to satisfy the claim.

The new minister of foreign affairs in France is known by Renan's bitter gibe at his restless passion for office, which took the form of this epitaph: "Here lies Berthelot, in the only place that he never coveted."

The champion fat man of the world is now in Paris. M. Canon-Berg, who is of Swiss nationality, weighs something over 560 pounds. His health is excellent, and his appetite takes in enough food for five persons.

The Duke of Westminster himself has not anything like an exact idea what his London property, if it were realized, would be worth. He does know, however, that the amount would be considerably in excess of \$60,000,000.

Fighting Bob Evans is said to be one of the least showy men in the United States service, but one of the strongest. His left leg is lame from a twist it received at Fort Fisher, where, while a midshipman, Evans showed very daring bravery.

M. Rousseau, the new governor of the French possessions in Indo-China, is a radical dress reformer and has issued orders that all ladies attending government balls shall wear high necked gowns. He has been nicknamed Mr. Modesty.

President Faure of France is a very carefully dressed man, and, it is said, spends a large sum annually at his tailor's. He is somewhat fussy about his clothes, but there are those of the ancient regime who assert that he does not know how to dress becomingly.

Hannibal Andrews is Maine's latest hero. He is the veteran brickmason of Milton plantation, 71 years of age, who, crippled with rheumatism, had the neighbors hoist him with ropes to the roof of North Woodstock's new schoolhouse and laid the last brick on top of the chimney.

Lord Beaconsfield's brother still survives, a kindly old gentleman, who was for many years clerk in the house of lords. After retiring from his clerkship Ralph Disraeli was for a time in constant attendance in the lobby of the house of commons. He bears no resemblance to his more eminent brother.

HOUSTON, Dec. 9.—W. K. Wheelock yesterday saw Martin Julian, manager of Robert Fitzsimmons, and tried to induce him to sign articles for the meeting with Peter Maher. Julian positively refused to sign, objecting to the date, Feb. 14, and to the size of the purse hanging up, wanting \$20,000.

On the Alert For Smallpox.

WARREN, O., Dec. 9.—The secretary of the state board of health wired that three Italians threatened with smallpox were en route from New York to Niles, this county. The Niles officers are watching every train.

May Test Their Luck.

MONTE CARLO, Dec. 9.—The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough have arrived here.



KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

The A. P. A.'s Knocked Out at Springfield.

BOSTON MASS., Dec. 3.—New city governments were chosen in nineteen of the thirty-one cities of the Commonwealth to-day, and in three-quarters of them there was practically no enthusiasm whatever. In many places party lines were not drawn, and in Springfield, Somerville, Gloucester, Brockton and other cities, the battle was fought on the A. P. A. issue. The contest in Springfield was one of the warmest in the history of the city, and resulted in the overthrow of the candidates indorsed by the A. P. A.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

HORACE MIDDLETON died near Shelbyville October 14th. Last week there was a decided sensation when it leaked out that his widow and Dr. Charles W. Taylor, a physician of Shelbyville, were married November 25th at St. Louis. Middleton died from the effects of an operation performed on him to remove from his stomach fifteen inches of a pump which had broken off while being used to extract an overdose of morphine he had taken with suicidal intent.

REV. C. S. LUCAS will deliver two very interesting and entertaining lectures at the Christian Church this city, December 17th and 18th, under auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. Subjects, "A Pony Ride Through Palestine," and "Curious Things I Saw in Europe." He made a tour of the Holy Land and of Europe last summer, and in these lectures tells of his trip. Mr. Lucas was formerly pastor of the church here, and the people of Maysville will be glad of the opportunity of hearing him, as he is always an interesting and entertaining speaker. The admission will be very low, so all may attend.

An interesting and important decision was rendered Saturday at Louisville, in which it is held that the Central Kentucky Lunatic Asylum at Lakeland, can not hide behind the State, although it is a State institution. Valentine Hauns sued the asylum for \$10,000 damages because the defendant had built two dams across Goose Creek, making two lakes and cutting off the flow of water on plaintiff's land. He also alleges that slops from the asylum are dumped on his ground and that from this cause his wife had been made ill and died. The demurrer was to the effect that the asylum, being an arm of the State, could not be sued. It was held that this and all other Kentucky asylums are delegated certain corporate privileges, and can be sued by the citizens.

Free Pills.

Send your addresses to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by J. J. Wood, druggist.

Three Weeks Left

For brisk Fur business. Trade must move at a livelier pace. Furs must go and dollars must come, even if prices are clipped until profit will vanish. Here is the story in dollars and cents. Examine our stock and convince yourself of the fact of our statements. Our word can be depended upon. No evasions; no misrepresentations; no excuses. What we offer is *what we have*.

Coney Capes.—Ladies' French Coney Cape, with extra full sweep, full length, satin lined, large fur collar, made in best style. Regular \$12.50 for \$7.50.

Canada Capes of Choice Canada Seal finished in the most perfect manner, fur soft and glossy as fine Satin. Regular \$27.50 for \$17.

Seal Capes.—Ladies' Cape of fine selected Baltic and Electric Seal, handsome satin lining, full sweep, full thirty inches long. Regular \$15 for \$10.

Astrachan Capes.—Exquisite Cape made from Curley Astrachan, handsomely finished, beautifully lined with fine quality of satin, full length and sweep. Regular \$25 for \$17.50.

Monkey Capes.—Ladies' Cape of genuine Monkey Fur, long, even hair, glossy finish, beautifully made and lined,

a very handsome garment. Regular \$30 for \$19.50.

Fur Neck Scarfs.—Genuine Mink Scarf, finest quality fur, finished with tail and head, with spring mouth; a bargain at \$6, our price \$4.

Genuine Seal Scarfs, very handsome, patent spring mouth, fine value for \$3.

Very attractive Scarf of Black Bear, well made and finished with spring mouth, worth double the price we ask—\$1.00.

Muffs.—All choice selected skins, best make and finish, well lined with fine quality of Satin. Coney was \$1.25, now 75c.; Opossum, was \$2.00, now \$1.25; Canada Seal, was \$2.50, now \$1.75; Electric Seal, was \$3.50, now \$2.50; Red Fox, was \$5.00, now \$3.50; real Beaver, was \$10, now \$6.50. At these prices it will pay to buy Furs for next season's wear. Such goods at such prices are rare.

D. HUNT & SON.

WORTH THINKING ABOUT:

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

HOEFLICH'S is the place to buy them. Lowest prices on record for a fine line Jap Goods and Novelties of all kinds. Special Handkerchief sale all this week. Stamped Linens at half price. Yours for bargains,

PAUL HOEFLICH & BRO.,

MARKET STREET.

IN MEMORIAM.

In remembrance of Nettie Moran, who died Tuesday evening, November 26th, at her cousin's Mrs. Mastin, of typhoid fever, at Kennard, Ky. She was a kind and loving sister, and one who was blessed with many friends who will mourn her loss. But as it is our loss, it is Heaven's gain. A few moments before she passed from earth to Heaven she clasped her hands and said, "Jesus has spoken peace to my soul." She can not come back to us, but we have the blessed assurance we can go to her.

Dearest Nettie, thou hast left us,
And our loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God who hast bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal.

Maysville, Ky. B. L. W.

Masonic Notice.

Mason Lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., will hold its annual election of officers this evening at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

JOHN W. BOULDEN, W. M.

R. P. JENKINS, Secretary.

River News.

Courier in and out daily. Rising slowly here with about 8 feet in gauge.

Keystone State due down to-night from Pittsburg.

The Wells brought down a raft Sunday, and cleaned boilers while here.

The Stanley is to-night's packet for Pomeroy, and the Sunshine is due down to-night.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

Washington Opera House,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 11.

Deestrick : Skule!

CAST OF CHARACTERS:

Cesar Augustus Littlesticks, "schoolmaster".....E. B. Cake
Mr. Long, "Skule Trustees".....Mr. Adamson
Mr. Short, "Skule Trustees".....Mr. H. Woodworth
Mrs. Honeyuckle, "poetical visitor, mother of three pair twins".....Mrs. B. Duke
George Washington Honeyuckle.....
Zachariah Taylor Honeyuckle.....
Interesting twins.....Mr. Frank Barkley
Hannah Maria Honeyuckle.....
Lucinda Patience Honeyuckle.....
Interesting twins.....Mrs. Robert Picklin
Ezekiel Jedekiah, "Bobby".....Add Wadsworth, Jr.
Michael O'Flynn, "the Irishman".....Mr. F. Clark
John Bull, "stuttering boy".....Mr. John Hunter
Jerusalem Perkins, "stupid girl".....Mrs. A. C. Respass
Alexander Tough, "smart Aleck of skule".....Clay Lilesen
Timothy Hayseed, "mischievous boy".....
Jacob Strauss, "German boy".....Robert Hoeftlich
Harriet Holderstill, "Intellectual girl".....
Mary Jane Brown, "slow girl".....Mrs. H. Wadsworth
Aramathia Tormentum, "Tell Tale".....
Tabithy Thoughtful, "the giggler".....Mrs. John Hall
Prudence Ann Plunket, "crying girl".....Gene Milam
Grover Cleveland.....Mr. Robert L. Baldwin
Betsy Snufferdown, "studious girl".....
Angeline Tiptop, "musical girl".....Gene Milam
Admission.—Reserved seats, 50c.; general admission, 35c.; Children, 25c. Tickets will be on sale at Mr. Nelson's Wednesday morning.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

CINCINNATI DIVISION CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.



East.	West.
No. 16.....10:05 a. m.	No. 19.....5:30 a. m.
No. 2.....1:36 p. m.	No. 18.....6:10 a. m.
No. 18.....5:03 p. m.	No. 17.....8:50 a. m.
No. 20.....7:33 p. m.	No. 3.....4:00 p. m.
No. 4.....10:40 p. m.	No. 16.....5:15 p. m.

"Daily," 1 daily except Sunday.
F. F. V. Limited No. 2 arrives at Washington at 6:50 a. m.; Baltimore, 8:05 a. m.; Philadelphia, 10:25 a. m.; New York, 12:33 p. m.

F. F. V. Limited No. 3 arrives at Cincinnati at 5:50 p. m.
Washington Express No. 4 arrives at Washington at 8:45 p. m.; New York, 1:05 p. m.

Cincinnati Fast Line No. 1 arrives Cincinnati at 8:00 a. m.
Pullman sleeping car service to Richmond and Old Point Comfort by trains 2 and 4.
Direct connection at Cincinnati for all points West and South.

No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 do not stop between Maysville and Newport.
For full information and rates to all points East and West, apply to
T. A. GARRIGAN, S. E. P. A.,
Huntington, W. Va.

MAYSVILLE DIVISION.
Southbound.
Leaves Maysville at 5:47 a. m. for Paris, Lexington, Cincinnati, Richmond, Stanford, Livingstone, Jellison, Middleborough, Cumberland Gap, Frankfort, Louisville and points on N. N. and M. V.—Eastern Division.
Leave Maysville at 1:30 p. m. for Paris, Cincinnati, Lexington, Winchester, Richmond and points on N. N. and M. V.—Eastern Division.

Northbound.
Arrive at Maysville at 9:50 a. m. and 8:20 p. m.
All trains daily except Sunday.

WANTED.

MUST GO—Millinery at your own price. Goods just received. Now is the time for bargains in hats, bonnets, &c. Sailors at cost. ANNA M. FRAZER, Agent.

WANTED—An experienced woman to do housework and attend to children. Reference required. Apply at 415 Forest avenue.

WANTED—To land on improved real estate \$1,000 for seven years at guaranteed net cost of only \$34; and other sums in proportion. A. E. COLE & SON.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—My residence on Third street, furnished. Apply to MRS. GEORGE T. HUNTER.

FOR RENT—A brick house, located on East Front street, adjoining Dr. Cartmell's residence, containing six rooms and a kitchen in good order. Rent reasonable. Apply to JAMES RICE.

FOR RENT—A nice Cottage of four rooms and a bath, situated in a beautiful garden, situated in the central part of Mt. Carmel, Ky., and is a No. 1 stand for a good smith and woodworker. For further particulars, write LOUIS T. GAEBKE, Mt. Carmel, Ky. References exchanged. n27tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A steel telescope fishing rod and Hendrix quadruple reel and fine case of all kinds of tackle. Cost \$24; for \$9. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent. and 10 per cent. bonds. Coupons payable semi-annually. A. E. COLE & SON.

THE WEEKLY BULLETIN is the paper for the farmer. Subscribe now, if you are not already taking it.

STOLE A MARCH ON THEIR FRIENDS.

Marriage of Miss Maggie Green, formerly of Maysville, to Charles Cullen at Louisville.

[Courier-Journal.]

And they stole a march on their friends, so that the following little announcement will take them all by surprise, and show that Cupid does not let the good work slacken, no matter how cold it may be. Yesterday afternoon Father Cunningham, the popular priest in charge of the church at Thirty-second and Broadway, was called upon at his house by Miss Maggie Green and Mr. Charles Cullen, who had come there to be married. Father Cunningham speedily performed the ceremony, and the young couple went to the Victoria Hotel, where they are ready to see their friends. No one had the slightest inkling of the affair, and it will be a surprise. Miss Green is the daughter of Mr. Green, proprietor of the Fourth Avenue Hotel, and is quite a beauty and belle. Mr. Cullen is also a favorite in business and social circles, and occupies a position in the National Tobacco Works on Broadway.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Henry Green, formerly conductor on the Kentucky Central. She has many warm friends in Maysville.

TWO YEARS.

That's What Henrietta McDaniel Gets For Drawing Her Mother's Pension.

The severity of the United States laws against pension frauds was illustrated by a sentence imposed on a woman by Judge Barr, in Covington, Friday, says the Enquirer.

Henrietta McDaniel, of Maysville, was sentenced to two years in the Jeffersonville penitentiary for drawing a widow's pension, which was originally granted to her mother. The prisoner's father served all through the war, and was discharged utterly disabled by wounds. He died soon after he left the army, and his widow was granted a pension of \$30 per month. The widow died a few years ago, and since that time the daughter had been drawing the pension.

The woman has already served one term, having been sentenced to two years for shooting a circus man who tried to force an entrance into her home at Maysville.

They Were Married in Maysville.

The Commercial Gazette says: "A suit was filed for divorce Saturday which brings to public notice for the first time an estrangement between a young couple whose pathway in life seemed to have been cleared from all the ordinary obstacles to happiness in the wedded state, when they pledged themselves at the altar. The plaintiff is Florence Swing Cabell, the accomplished daughter of Judge Peter F. Swing, of the Circuit Court. The defendant is Joseph Hartwell Cabell, one of the brightest young lawyers of the Hamilton County bar. They were married in September, 1892, at Maysville, Ky., but the union has not been a happy one from the beginning. She sues on the ground of gross neglect of duty for three years.

Not "Uncle Tom."

Harriet Beecher Stowe has written a letter to Lexington parties in which she says: "The man you speak of, George Lewis Clark, who is going about representing himself to be the original George in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin,' does so at his own presumption. I never saw the man, and don't remember ever having even heard of him, although I have before received letters telling of various individuals who were going about the country representing themselves to be the originals of Uncle Tom, or George Harris, as the case might be. Neither he nor any other man stood for the character of George Harris, who was a creature of my own brain—a probable but not living character."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

New Goods For the Holidays.

P. J. Murphy is now showing more pretty goods than was ever shown here. Never has his stock been as complete as now. Goods that go to make suitable presents for old, middle aged and the young. Call; you are welcome.

A 725 Pound Hog Sold.

Richmond Cobb, of Waco, Madison County, sold an eighteen-months-old Berkshire hog which tipped the scales at 725 pounds—the largest hog ever produced in that section.

AMMUNITION—loaded shells—O'Keefe's.

BALED hay and straw at Old Gold Mills.

CHOICE Christmas candies at Armstrong's.

COLD Vichy and Blue Lick at Power's drug store.

NICHOLASVILLE'S assessment amounts to only \$230,000.

J. R. PRICE is the new postmaster at Cowan, Fleming County.

PIE crust like mother used to make—rich, flaky, delicious. Calhoun's.

OSCAR DAVIDSON and a Miss Thomas eloped from Lexington and were married at Jeffersonville. They will make their home at Ripley.

E. RENAKER, of Winchester, has slaughtered about 15,000 turkeys this season, and all but a few hundred were raised in Clark County.

At Lexington Saturday the grand jury indicted James McCormick, Jr., the son, Councilman McCormick, charging him with conducting an opium joint.

J. G. WALL, an eccentric citizen of Cynthia, who is well-known in Maysville, fell last week and fractured his hip. His chances of recovery are said to be slight.

THE stockholders of the Carlisle Deposit Bank have decided to continue business under the old charter for twenty-five years from the first of February, 1896.

MR. JOHN FLEMING has been elected to represent Bricklayers' Union No. 9 of this city at the meeting of the International Bricklayers' Union at Columbus, O., January 1st, 1896.

MISSSES EVA and Louise Lucas, daughters of Rev. C. S. Lucas of Allegheny, Pa., have been very ill with typhoid fever for several weeks, but were much better at last accounts.

At Lexington Miantonomo Tribe No. 1, Improved Order Red Men, broke the record for initiatory work Friday night, when 106 candidates were introduced to the mysteries of the order.

MR. G. G. Hamilton, of Mt. Sterling, has been elected a director of the Farmers' and Shippers' Warehouse of Cincinnati, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Henry Worthington.

LEXINGTON will likely have two Mayors on the first day of January. Mayor Duncan claims that his term of office does not expire until 1897, and will not vacate the office the first of the year for Mayor-elect Simrall.

THE Louisville Post has a straight tip that Colonel D. M. Comingore, of Covington, is to be the new Insurance Commissioner, but the Post and its corps of correspondents have tipped several others also as winners.

WILLIAM SMITH, one of Maysville's best colored citizens, died this morning at 1:30 o'clock at his home in the Fifth ward, after a lingering illness, of consumption. He was thirty-one years old, and leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will occur Wednesday afternoon at the Bethel Baptist Church.

THE C. and O. has taken into Cincinnati during the past two months an average of 500 cars of coal per day. Assistant General Passenger Agent Ryan was enthusiastic in communicating this interesting information regarding the carrying capacity of his road, which fully demonstrates the fact that a coal famine can be easily averted.

A SPECIAL from West Union says: "Some rich mineral deposits have been discovered on the lands belonging to Hon. Robert Cochran, in Green Township. The deposits give every promise of yielding lead and silver ore in paying quantities. Samples of the ore submitted to a Cincinnati chemist showed the presence of silver and lead in high percentages."

JUDGE WALL left Sunday for Washington City to look after some legal business. One of the Judge's hobbies is a public building for Maysville, and while in Washington he will confer with Congressman Pugh and other Kentucky Representatives and try to interest them in the matter. The Judge thinks Maysville is more entitled to a Government building than many of the cities that have been favored in this way, and he is right.

CHARLES TATMAN, a C. and O. brakeman, was probably fatally injured Saturday afternoon, on an eastbound train at Foster. Tatman was in the cab of the engine, when the arch pipe of the boiler burst. The full force of the stream of boiling water struck Tatman on the chest to the knees. Fireman C. K. James, who was on the other side of the cab, was also scalded, but not seriously. Tatman, unconscious, was taken back to Covington on the first train and removed to his home, where Dr. Kearns attended him.

FIXING TO BREAK JAIL.

Several of the Prisoners Were in the Plot—Digging Through the Stone Floor.

Had it not been for a quiet tip received by Jailer Johnson several of the prisoners would probably have gained their liberty yesterday or last night.

Peter Clark and Wm. Reaks, in for stealing a lot of hides from Wood Bros., Wm. Sons, the chicken thief, and Walter Skinner and Shelby Setters, indicted for having burglars' tools in their possession, were in the plot.

The plan was to cut out one of the iron gratings in the stone floor, and escape by way of the cellar. A half hour more work and they would have had the grating removed.

A search of the prisoners and their cells brought to light several tools, and a heavy steel or iron bar over three feet in length. Just where they got these is a mystery, but the supposition is the tools were sneaked in by some of the friends of the parties.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

SANTA CLAUS will be open Monday, December 9th; new goods at J. T. Kackley & Co.'s.

THE furniture for the new school house in Fifth ward is expected in a few days, and the house will be ready for teachers and pupils just after the Christmas holidays.

THE case of Pearce versus Mason County, (turnpike case), pending in the Court of Appeals, has been advanced and ordered set for hearing during the January term.

It develops that the late A. L. Robbins, of Winchester, O., was short \$3,700 in his accounts as Township Treasurer. He committed suicide a few weeks ago at the Galt House, Cincinnati.

BALLENGER'S jewelry store is a most interesting place to one who cares for rich and beautiful things. It's prolific of suggestions as to gifts; full of useful and pretty ornaments and of needful things for home and table.

At Portsmouth, Moses Rice, who claimed to represent a Cincinnati cigar house, is wanted. He is charged with jumping a big board bill at the Elk Hotel, and it is alleged, got Isaac Levi, a wholesale liquor merchant of that city, to cash a draft for \$400, which was returned as worthless.

THE Washington correspondent of the Louisville Post says: "Representative Pugh has two things upon which he has set his heart. The first is to secure a Federal Court at Ashland. The citizens will furnish the court house if the Government will order the court held therein. He also wants the mouth of the Big Sandy River improved, and shall ask for an appropriation at once."

THE Carlisle creamery is one that appears to be a success. The Mercury says: "Our creamery has during the year 1895 received 450,680 pounds of milk, and made 21,212 pounds of butter, which has been sold at an average of 21½ cents. The average price paid for milk was 77 cents per hundred. Total receipts for the year, \$4,715.40. The outlook for the coming year for this institution is very good—even better than the past year, as several farmers have signified their intention to increase their supply of milk."

WHILE the administrators were looking over the effects of the late Rev. Charles W. Garoutte, of Ripley, they found a document which, if reliable, will make his family one of unlimited wealth. It stated that his grandfather was a Frenchman of great wealth and resided in the neighborhood of Marseilles, France, and owned the ground upon which that city now stands. Troubles arose which forced him to fly to this country, locating near Philadelphia. When he died he turned over to a Masonic Lodge a box which is said to contain documents and records that are the key to the possessions. Captain Garoutte, of Lynchburg, O., a brother of the late minister, is making preparations to go to Philadelphia, where he will get possession of the box, and from there proceed to France.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. J. James Wood's drug store.

SPECIAL SALE

OF

DRESS GOODS!

Remember these prices are for Monday and Tuesday only, December 9th and 10th.

Ten patterns of Novelty Dress goods at 75 cents per yard, have been \$1 and \$1.25.

Five patterns all Wool Dress Goods, fifty-four inches wide, at 50 cents, have been sold at 75c.

Plain All Wool Dress Goods in Blacks and colors, for this sale at one-quarter off.

Extra Special.—Our line of All Wool Cashmere, thirty-six inches wide, at 25 cents per yard.

Browning & Co.,

51 WEST SECOND STREET.

BOOTS! SHOES!

Don't talk advance on Shoes, but attend the great Boot and Shoe sale at the PROGRESS SHOE STORE for this week.

\$4 00 Calf Boot.....	\$3 00	\$3 50 Ladies' Kid Boots,	
3 00 Calf Boot.....	2 25	late style.....	2 98
2 50 Kip Boot.....	1 98	3 00 Ladies' Dongola but.	
2 00 Kip Boot.....	1 50	hand sewed.....	2 48
3 50 Men's Calf Shoes,		2 50 Ladies' Dong. But.,	
cap and pl. toe, lace and		all sizes and style.....	2 00
Con.....	2 98	2 50 Misses'S.H.Kid But.	
3 00 Men's Calf Shoes,		all sizes.....	1 73
late style.....	2 27	2 00 Misses'S.H.Kid But.	1 49
2 50 Men's Satin Calf		1 25 Misses' Kid Button,	
Shoe, all styles.....	1 98	Opera tip.....	98

These are Fall and Winter goods, fresh from our factories, and every pair warranted. Call and examine before buying. Yours, all ready to serve,

PROGRESS SHOE STORE

MINER'S OLD STAND.

Do You Like

BREAD that is right?
ROLLS that are light?
CAKES out of sight?
PIES just right?

OF
COURSE YOU
DO

Traxel Has Them!

Hot soda chocolate at Power's drug store.

Hot soda lemon phosphate at Power's drug store.

Hog cholera is killing hundreds of fine hogs in the several counties touching Johnson.

SEE "The Deestrick Skule" at the opera house Wednesday evening, December 11th.

HENRY CLAY COOLEY, a life-long citizen of Manchester, died last week, aged seventy-five years.

BROSHEARS has been made a night office on the C. and O. road, and William Peyton put in charge of the wires.

PROFESSOR KELLEY, formerly of Germantown, wedded Miss Bertha Bassen, of Hannibal, Mo., a few days ago.

BEST oil, coal and wood heaters, Monitor ranges and cook stoves made, and lowest in price, for cash at W. F. Power's.

MRS. JENNIE VICROY has purchased of Mr. James Woods the residence adjoining that of Dr. Pangburn in the Sixth ward. Consideration, \$1,500.

OUR friends and customers who want Christmas and holiday presents and wish to avoid the rush and crowd of our auction sale, beginning December 14th, will now be supplied at auction prices with anything they want. This is a chance to get what you want at your own price.

HOPPER & CO.

A STYLISHLY dressed young man arrived at Rome a week ago to-day. He was selling dress goods by sample and solicited subscriptions to Demorest's Magazine. In each case he collected a cash advancement, realizing a total of about \$60. Wednesday he left on a westbound C. and O. train, leaving a horse and buggy at a stable, which he claimed he had hired at Portsmouth. He also left a board bill unpaid.

Xmas

Presents will be more appreciated if useful. Handsome combs, brushes, pocket-books, card cases, perfumes, cut glass, bottles and other useful articles I have in stock. Call and examine before buying. THOS. J. CHENOWETH, Druggist.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder.

MISS ANNIE KING's many friends will regret to learn that she is still in a critical condition.

TRACK laying is in progress on the Brooksville and Wellsburg railroad. The first spike was driven Friday. It is expected to have trains running by January 1st.

GOVERNOR BROWN Saturday granted a pardon to John Jenkins, convicted in the Circuit Court at Lexington Friday for assault on B. F. Sawyer in an election fight and fined \$75 and costs and given four months in the county jail.

JOHN DANSBERRY, a widower, aged seventy-five, of New Richmond, and Mrs. Sarah Kilgour, aged sixty-seven, of Douglas, O., were married a few days ago at the former place. The groom was at one time engineer on the old ferryboat Gleaner at this point.

MR. CHRISTY MACE died Friday night at his home in Covington, and the funeral took place there at 8 o'clock this morning. Mr. Mace was formerly a citizen of Maysville, having resided here for a number of years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mace.

LEWIS MCCOY, of near Esculapia, shot a bald eagle one day last week which measured seven feet four and one-half inches from tip to tip. The bird had just captured a goose and repaired to a large beech tree to devour his prey. The cries of the geese attracted Mr. McCoy's attention to the eagle and repairing to his house he got his Remington and brought down his eagleship from a distance of about 200 yards, says the Vanceburg Sun.



A HIGH FLYER BATTLE AX PLUG THE LARGEST PIECE OF GOOD TOBACCO EVER SOLD FOR 10 CENTS

IN THE FACE OF DEATH

Murderer Hayward Invokes a Terrible Curse on His Brother.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 9.—"May the curse of God fall on you and yours, and allow me, from the minute I drop from the scaffold, to haunt you day and night until your death. Then I will welcome you on the brink of hell with a red hot poker."

These are the farewell words of Harry Hayward to his brother Adry yesterday afternoon. He hurled them at the latter as he descended the stairs leading to the tier in which the prisoner was confined, and passed through the iron doorway to the outer office.

It was their last meeting on earth and such the murderer intended it to be. Adry was as calm as the prisoner was impassioned. He was unmoved by the anathemas except toward pity. His was the brotherly affection and he interrupted with the frequent "God bless you, Harry, Goodbye Harry," which elicited the remark quoted above.

The meeting between the brothers was arranged by the parents who beseeched the condemned man to see Adry once more before he died.

Harry is to be executed Wednesday for the murder of Catherine King. When he heard Saturday that the governor had signed his death warrant, he exclaimed: "That's a long time to wait for a railroad train."

TELEGRAPHIC TAPS.

Condensed News by Wire From Different Parts of the Globe.

Ex-Chief of Police Eli Thompson of Indianapolis died of exhaustion Saturday, aged 64.

Pat Sheedy, Elley Grannan and Andy Welsh will tour Europe together next month. Sheedy started Saturday.

Near Washington, John Kennedy, 50, attempted to throw a package of dynamite by the fire, with the usual results.

The board of appeals of the American Trotting association, in session at Chicago, expelled J. B. Chandler of Wichita, Kansas.

Pumpkins are just now worth \$3 a ton to the Pennsylvania farmers, who raise them in large quantities for the canning factories.

San Jose, Cal., is planning to hold a carnival of roses next May, and already \$7,000 has been contributed toward paying the expenses.

Samuel Cauldy, a farmer, near Lawrenceburg, Ind., had two valuable horses so badly shot by careless hunters that they had to be killed.

No inaugural ball will be held at Columbus when General Bushnell is inducted into office. A public reception will take its place.

At Vevay, Ind., Benjamin S. Davis shot and killed himself in the presence of his sweetheart, Agnes Livingston. Fear of cancer led to the act.

The citizens of Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry, O., are considerably worried over the announcement that smallpox has been discovered in both places.

William Wienselman, an old soldier in the late war, and a resident of Shields, Ind., was frozen to death while on his way home from a business trip.

At Tiffin, O., the pressers at the Brewer pottery are again out on a strike as the result of their persistent efforts to keep apprentices from going to work.

Alfred J. Hurd, a young telegraph operator of Biddeford, Me., murdered his father with a razor Saturday. His father had urged him to leave home and hunt work.

The new church of St. Mary the Virgin, at New York, was opened Sunday with all the pomp and splendor that can attend such an affair. The edifice is occupied by the ritualistic Episcopalians.

The Paris police have searched the lodgings of Gilbert Lenoir, the man who fired a revolver in the chamber of deputies, and have found there some anarchistic literature. But the general opinion is that the prisoner is insane.

John Duffy of Canal Dover, O., aged 30 years, and employed as a track walker for the C. & W. railway, while attempting to board the southbound local, fell on the track and had his left arm and leg cut off. It is feared he can not recover.

Near Lawrenceburg, Ind., a man giving his name as John Young, aged 22, claims to have been held up and robbed by two negro tramps about two miles east of that city, Saturday evening. The thieves, he says, secured \$12.25 and a silver watch.

The jury in the case of R. C. Outcault, cashier of the famous Capital National bank, at Lincoln, Neb., for having wrecked which Charles Mosher is serving a five years' imprisonment, has returned a verdict of not guilty. Outcault was indicted for complicity with Mosher.

H. P. Cox, a carriage manufacturer of Barnesville, O., was sandbagged and robbed of \$35 on the corner of Arch and Church streets. He was treated the same way and in the same place about a year ago, and two former residents are in the Columbus penitentiary for it.

At Chicago the firemen in the downtown district put in all day Sunday fighting a stubborn fire that caused a loss of \$200,000. The 5-story brick and stone front building at 250 and 252 Madison street, owned by the Seipp estate and occupied by H. Wolf & Company, dealers in general merchandise, was completely destroyed.

The party of White Mountain Apache Indians who are missing from their camp on the San Carlos reservation in Arizona, and who are supposed to have murdered Merrill and his daughter near Solomonville three days ago, were arrested and brought into San Carlos Agency Saturday night by a detachment of Captain Bell's troops of the Seventh cavalry and the Indian police.

What is said to be the finest equipped telegraph office in the world was put into active service for the first time in Chicago Sunday. It is the new quarters of the Postal Telegraph Cable company, located on the first and 13th floors of the new Chicago Stock Exchange building, corner of LaSalle and Washington streets, direct across from the city hall, and the chamber of commerce building.

BROOKLYN MURDER MYSTERY

May Be Solved by the Arrest of Man and Wife For Fighting.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The arrest of Jack Quinn and wife here yesterday for fighting developed the possible solution of a murder mystery in Brooklyn. Both the Quinns were drunk, and Mrs. Quinn, in an effort to induce the police to let her husband go, told them that her husband had committed a murder in Brooklyn several years ago. Before word could be secured from Brooklyn the Quinns were bailed out, but it is thought they will be rearrested. Telegrams from the Brooklyn authorities tend to confirm the woman's statement.

Ohio Miners Refuse.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 9.—The Ohio miners have refused to meet the operators' committee of seven, to whom was referred the adjustment of the demand for a cash rate in this state.

RIVAL CITIES.

Better a \$50 horse in New York than a motorcycle in Chicago.—New York Press.

Chicago has nothing for New York except sympathy and a rather superior article of shade.—Detroit Tribune.

Recent news accounts from New York city indicate that one must go west to escape hold ups.—Washington Times.

Boston is too slow with its appeals for Cuban liberty. Doesn't it see from statements of General Campos that Chicago has already practically settled the matter?—Kansas City Journal.

Chicago has abandoned her determination to use her brick warship Illinois in freeing Cuba. Sober second thought inclines her to think she may have been too hasty.—Washington Post.

St. Louis is waking up. An 18 story building will soon be erected, \$22,000,000 will be spent in improving the business district east of Main street, and Colonel Abe Slusky is going to get married.—Kansas City Packer.

FIN, FEATHER AND FUR.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually diminishing in size.

The largest ocean creature now known to exist is the morqual, which often reaches a length of 140 feet.

It is estimated that the dogs of the United States number 25,000,000, and that it costs not less than \$250,000 per annum to keep them.

A canary bird carried in a closed cage from Charlottenburg, near Berlin, to London escaped in the last named city and found its way back to its German home inside of two days and a night.

So still lies the ptarmigan, so perfectly is the tone of summer plumage in keeping with the stunted vegetation of its mountain fastness, that the keenest eyed hunter might pass through a flock of them without being aware of their presence.

SCIENTIFIC SCRAPS.

The moon moves 3,333 feet per second, day and night, and always presents the same side to the view of the people on this earth.

In one of his astronomical lectures Professor Proctor once said that 800,000 worlds the size of our earth could be stored inside of the sun.

A metal worker's magazine says that platinum wires have been drawn so fine that two of them twisted together could be inserted in the hollow of a human hair.

Professor T. J. J. See of the University of Chicago, so it is reported, has discovered that one of the stars in the constellation of Ophiuchus is triple, being composed of two bright stars and one dark body.

THE TOTTERING TURK.

The sultan is on horseback and is giving a magnificent horse show, but he is riding for a fall.—New York Advertiser.

Isn't it about time to begin the policy of walloping the Turk first and "warning" him afterward?—Chicago Record.

His sublimity of the Ottoman empire is pretty near to the condition when he will be glad to give his kingdom for a horse.—Toronto Star.

The powers have decided that the Turk cannot make solemn promises and then run an Armenian speak easy.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Cincinnati Tobacco Market.

	Hhds.
Offerings for the week	2,513
Rejections for the week	945
Actual sales for the week	1,567
Receipts for the week	1,059
The range of prices on the week's offerings was as follows:	
\$4@95; 564, \$6@7 95; 106, \$8@9 95; 173, \$10@11 75; 183, \$12@14 75; 88, \$15@19 75; 12, \$20@24 50; 1, \$25 50.	

Maysville Retail Market.

GREEN COFFEE—#1 lb.	25	@77
MOLASSES—new crop, #1 gallon	50	@60
Golden Syrup, #1 lb.	35	@40
Sorghum, fancy new	35	@35
SUGAR—Yellow, #1 lb.	43	@30
Extra C, #1 lb.	5	@5
A, #1 lb.	5	@5
Granulated, #1 lb.	54	@74
Powdered, #1 lb.	74	@74
New Orleans, #1 lb.	5	@5
FEAR—#1 lb.	50	@100
COAL OIL—Headlight, #1 gallon	15	@15
BACON—Breakfast, #1 lb.	11	@9
Clearsides, #1 lb.	8	@10
Hams, #1 lb.	12	@13
Shoulders, #1 lb.	10	@10
BEANS—#1 gallon	30	@35
BUTTER—#1 lb.	20	@25
CHICKENS—Each	20	@25
EGGS—#1 dozen	60	@20
FLOUR—Limestone, #1 barrel	\$4	@50
Old Gold, #1 barrel	4	@00
Maysville Fancy, #1 barrel	4	@00
Mason County, #1 barrel	4	@25
Morning Glory, #1 barrel	4	@00
Roller King, #1 barrel	4	@00
Magnolia, #1 barrel	4	@50
Blue Grass, #1 barrel	3	@75
Graham, #1 sack	12	@15
HONEY—#1 lb.	12	@15
ROMNEY—#1 gallon	10	@20
MEAL—#1 peck	15	@15
LARD—#1 pound	60	@10
ONIONS—#1 peck	30	@10
POTATOES—#1 peck, new	15	@15
APPLES—#1 peck	10	@15

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FARMS

FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers two Farms for sale, one containing 230 acres and the other 36 acres. The first tract is located on the Stony Hollow pike and is well improved.

A Good Dwelling of Six Rooms, Three Barns, Ice House

and other outbuildings, and it has on it a good orchard. The smaller tract is a part of the old Montjoy farm and has on it a good dwelling of four rooms and a good stable. For further particulars address

GEO. R. WELLS,

Bernard, Mason County, Ky.

NOTICE.

The firm of Tomlin Bros., of Murphysville, Ky., have dissolved partnership. Those finding themselves indebted to the firm will please call and settle with W. S. Tomlin. W. S. Tomlin will settle all debts of the firm. TOMLIN BROS., Murphysville, Ky.

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As it will, in a few days, contain my Holiday announcement. I am now receiving the largest and most complete stock in the way of

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Rules at our store. Another interesting week in the Grocery business, as this is Thanksgiving week, and everybody should return thanks by having a good dinner. Read the list of good things:

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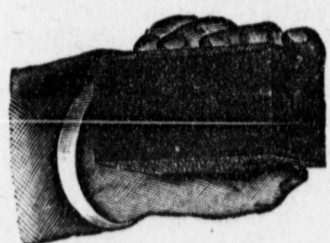
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On SATURDAY,
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I will sell the following real estate assigned to me, to-wit: The tract of NINETY ACRES of Land, more or less, situated near the city of Maysville, Ky., known as

The Maysville Fair Grounds,

together with all the buildings thereon. Possession given January 10th, 1896. The sale will take place on the grounds, and will be on a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the purchaser to execute bond with good security, bearing interest from date until paid.

W. W. BALL,
Assignee Maysville Fair Company.

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"GRASSLAND" FARM

Near Lexington, Ky.,
to Be Sold.

I offer at private sale for a short time this magnificent farm, the homestead of the late Maj. Thos. H. Shelby, father of the undersigned, located nine miles from Lexington, near the Walnut Hill pike and the Jack's Creek pike, and containing about

723 ACRES

of unsurpassed Land, of which about 460 acres in virgin Blue Grass, mainly covered with fine and valuable timber.

Abundant and never failing supply of water from natural sources, well distributed, and rendering this the best watered farm in Kentucky. Excellently fenced and subdivided. Handsomely and substantially improved with

A Commodious Two and a Half Story Brick Metal Roof Mansion,

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No such farm in extent and superior quality for sale. It is a portion of the noted 4,000-acre Rich Chase made by Gov. Shelby in the early history of the State; has been in the Shelby family ever since. It is in the very center of the famed Bluegrass section of the State.

Send to the undersigned, or Col. J. E. Delph & Son, Lexington, Ky., Managers of The Kentucky Blue Grass Land agency, for circular giving price, terms and all necessary particulars.

ISAAC F. SHELBY.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.

John Newdigate's administrator, &c., Plaintiffs.
Against
Geo. W. Newdigate, &c., Defendants.
In obedience to a judgment and order of sale of the Mason Circuit Court, rendered in the above-mentioned cause at the November term, 1895, I shall, on

Monday, Dec. 16, '95,

at 2 o'clock p. m., at dwelling house on premises, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the following real property, to-wit: The several parcels of land comprising the Farm of John Newdigate, deceased, adjacent to the city of Maysville, Ky., and consisting of five tracts, and being in all about 150 acres. A survey of same will be made before day of sale, and said survey will be read at sale and the land sold according to the bounds thereof.

Said land will be sold in parcels or as a whole, to suit purchasers and produce most money, and purchasers will be entitled to possession upon execution of sale bonds. The purchaser must be prepared to promptly execute bonds with approved security, for the purchase price, which bond shall bear legal interest from day of sale until paid.

J. N. KEHOE, Master Commissioner.

FINE FARMS

FOR SALE.

The Executors of Thomas Wells, deceased, will sell, at private sale, the "Home Tract" of 83 3/4 Acres, near Helena Station; also three other tracts of land adjoining same, containing 110 Acres, 30 Acres and 24 Acres respectively. No better land in the State. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply to

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G. S. Wall,
Executors.

Maysville, Ky.

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